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Present: Belgium (Luxembourg), Canada, France, Germany, Italy,  
Japan, Netherlands, Turkey, United Kingdom, United States.

The CHAIRMAN, welcoming Mr. von LOEBBECKE, Head of the Strategic Controls Department at the German Federal Ministry of Economy, stated that he wished to take the opportunity afforded him by the presence of this visitor in order to stress the very great importance he attached to the participation in the Committee's work of the officials at the head of the Governmental departments handling this Committee's business in the capitals of member countries. The Chairman considered such visits highly desirable, as they made it possible to ensure closer contact between the national services of the various Governments and the international organisation which the Coordinating Committee constituted. He expressed the hope that this sentiment would be shared by the authorities in participating countries, and that the Committee would thus have frequent occasion to welcome representatives from central administrations.

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